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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 3, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as shown in the attached marked-up copy to read as follows:

1. (Amended) An information processing system including:

a şerver;

a network; and

plural terminals each configured to be connected to the server via the network,